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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y TEXT LINE 6 (REF B VICE REF C)

E.O.11652: GDS
TAGS: ET, DJ, MOPS, ELTN
SUBJECT: ATTACK ON ADDIS-DJIBOUTI RAILROAD

REF: A) DJIBOUTI 0867, B) DJIBOUTI 882, C) ADDIS 2707

FRENCH EMBASSY SOURCE INFORMS US THAT A LOCAL TRAIN ON THE ADDIS-DJIBOUTI TRACK WAS ATTACKED JUNE 18 SIXTY KILOMETERS INSIDE ETHIOPIA, AND SEVERAL PEOPLE WERE KILLED. THIS ATTACK HAS REPORTEDLY BLOCKED FURTHER USE OF THAT SECTION OF THE LINE AND AS A RESULT WE ARE INFORMED THAT CONTRARY TO INFORMATION REPORTED REF B, ONLY ONE TRAIN HAS SO FAR BEEN ABLE TO COMPLETE THE DJIBOUTI-ADDIS RUN. WE DO NOT HAVE ANY ESTIMATED TIME FOR THE RESTORATION OF THE RAIL TRAFFIC, NOR DO WE HAVE ANY RELIABLE
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INFORMATION WHICH WOULD INDICATE THE IDENTITY OF THE ATTACKING GROUP.
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